



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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"Where we care about our learning and each other"

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Important Dates

Wednesday 22nd January Y5 Whole Class Countryside Skills

Wednesday 29th & Thursday 30th January Y6 Countryside Skills—letters to follow

Monday 3rd February

After School Clubs Begin (3:15-4:00pm)

Wednesday 5th February

KS1 Multi Skills Event

Tuesday 11th February

Air Ambulance Day-Wear red

Monday 13th February

PC Coll Visiting Y6

Thursday 13th February

Book Swap

PTFA Valentines Cake Sale

Friday 14th February

Y2 Class Assembly 2:30pm —Parents welcome Last Day of Term

PTFA Corner

Our wonderful PTFA had a meeting last week and have lots of exciting events coming up.

This term we have a 'Valentines' Cake Sale on Thursday 13th February. This will be straight after school in the main hall and it is Y1 and Y4's turn to donate the cakes please.

On Monday 3rd February, ticket sales will go live for the 'School Disco'

The disco will be held on Friday 28th February which is the first week back.

Mother's Day shopping is scheduled for Friday 21st March. As always, further details will be released nearer the time.

Safeguarding & Absence Procedure

A reminder that our school gates close at 8.55am. If you are arriving after this time, entry is via the school office.

In addition, if you take your child out for an appointment during school hours, please ensure you bring them back through the office. We need to sign them back onto the premises as part of our safety procedures.

Please do not let your children into the school playground through gate.

Schools have a responsibility, to know where children are during school hours. If your child is unwell, you should advise the school via EduLink or telephone before 9:30am.

When sending a message on the EduLink app, it is important that you tell us exactly what is wrong, such as: sore throat, temperature, has been sick, etc. Please try not to write illness or sickness.

For holiday requests, please remember to complete and return a holiday request form before you leave. Ideally, the request should be made as soon as your holiday is booked. Please do not use EduLink for holiday notifications, it should be used for sickness & appointments only.

All of these steps and processes are in place to keep your children safe and we appreciate your co-operation.

After School Clubs

Letters are being sent home today with details of this terms after school clubs. They will also be live on EduLink.

If you aren't booking on EduLink, please return your forms ASAP as spaces are limited and it is first come, first served. Thank you.

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Look Who's Talking

We had an incredible response to our first 'Look Who's Talking' event.

Every child that entered had clearly worked hard on their chosen subjects and delivered their talk with confidence and passion.

A finalist was chosen from each class, and they delivered their talk to the whole school!

Unfortunately, we could only choose 3 of them to go on and represent our school at the next stage. They certainly made sure it was a difficult decision, but we are delighted to announce that our finalists are, Poppy in Y1, Alice in Y3 and Eliza in Y6.

Well done everyone!



Music Concert

Mr Kempner, one of our wonderful music teachers, is participating in a local concert on Saturday 8th February at 3pm.

It is being held at the Holy Trinity Church in Stroud and children & families are welcome to attend.

Adult tickets are priced at £12.00 but under 16's are free.

As well as his 121 music lessons, Mr Kempner is currently teaching our Y5 class the clarinet.



Earlier in the year, he did a fantastic job teaching our Y1's the ukulele.

Booking details are on the poster if you would like to show your support.

Value Certificates

Year Reception

Maeva has shown the value of <u>responsibility</u>. Her reading practice group was independent this week and Maeva stepped up, and went through all the sounds with her group.

Year 1

Freyja has shown the value of <u>responsibility</u>. She takes great responsibility for her learning, she will always tackle tasks independently and apply what she's learnt. Freyja also enjoys sharing her ideas on the carpet.

Year 2

Sophie for being a wonderful <u>mathematician</u> by confidently adding different coins and notes.

Year 3

Bertie for being a wonderful <u>footballer</u> by giving excellent demonstrations during our lesson, and showing excellent control of the ball.

Year 4

All of Year 4 have shown the value of <u>resilience</u> by coping with quite a few changes this week. They have continued to work hard and support each other.

Year 5

Olly for being a wonderful <u>writer</u> by working really hard with his presentation.

Year 6

Isla J has shown the value of <u>responsibility</u> by improving, editing and presenting her work across all subjects.

WELL DONE EVERYONE